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VIA ECF

Hon. Vernon S. Broderick
United States District Court Judge
Southern District of New York
New York, New York 10007

Re: United States v. Gerard Vickers, 20-Cr-392 (VSB)

Dear Judge Broderick:

Due to a scheduling conflict, the defense requests an adjournment of the arraignment proceeding to the week of August 24, 2020. The defense consents to the exclusion of time.

Sincerely,

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**APPLICATION GRANTED
SO ORDERED** *Ver. Br.*
VERNON S. BRODERICK
U.S.D.J. 8/16/2020

The arraignment is adjourned to August 24, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. The adjournment is necessary to permit counsel sufficient time to review the indictment with the defendant. The Court finds that the ends of justice served by granting a continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. Accordingly, it is further ordered that the time between August 16, 2020 and August 24, 2020 is hereby excluded under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. 3161 (h)(7)(A), in the interest of justice.